

PATENT APPLICATION
IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re application of: Katsuya WATANABE, et al. Docket No: Q83437
Appln. No.: 10/506,802 Group Art Unit: 1793
Confirmation No.: 6804 Examiner: Diana J. LIAO
Filed: September 7, 2004

For: CATALYST FOR HYDRODESULFURIZATION AND ISOMERIZATION, PROCESS
FOR PRODUCING THE SAME, AND METHOD FOR HYDRODESULFURIZATION
AND ISOMERIZATION OF SULFER-CONTAINING HYDROCARBON OIL

RESPONSE TO ELECTION/RESTRICTIONS

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Commissioner for Patents
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Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

REMARKS

Responsive to the outstanding Restriction Requirement, dated March 10, 2008,
Applicants elect the claims of Group I, claims 1 and 2, drawn to a method, without traverse.

Applicant reserves the right to file a Divisional Application directed to non-elected
claims.

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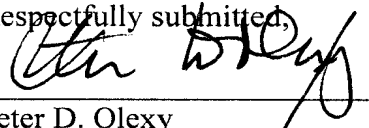
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